

**** Vacancy ****

Vice President at PNA Card Service AB

A position as Vice President at PNA Card Services is vacant from 1 January 2021.

PNA Card Service AB is 100% owned by the PAN Nordic Card Association (PNC) which is an industry association with the mission to promote payment card solutions in the Nordics for our members. Our members are Nordic banks and financial institutions that operate payment cards as issuers or acquirers.

You will be part of a group of 6 highly motivated, highly performing and committed employees together with a few external consultants.

The office is in the centre of Malmö, Sweden and the language spoken in our office is 'Scandinavian'. Our work language is generally English.

Your role:

PNA Card Service AB (PNA) is looking for a Vice President. In this role you will be expected to facilitate a number of forums for our members, with the aim of following and give input to a wide range of cards related activities within security, standardization, regulations and public relation activities.

Your direct responsibility will be to administrate and support the pan-nordic committees related to card payment-based activities. You will also be supporting our two domestic card payment associations, based in Sweden and Denmark: Card Payment Sweden and Card Payment Denmark.

Our activities are performed via dedicated associations and sub-committees in close cooperation between you, the other staff members at PNC, the Boards of the associations and external stakeholders.

You will:

- be supporting the committees and members with market surveillance to identify impact on payment card market,
- communicate development and compliance according to directions set by international card schemes, national and international organisations, and authorities,
- liaise with various actors of the card payment industry (e.g. card schemes) to facility and promote the needs of the Nordic region,
- interact with members to ensure their opinions are reflected in positions regarding standards and specifications, ensure member influence is maximised and that knowledge is shared,
- provide regular reporting to members and internally about card standardization activities,

- deliver operational services for Payment Card organizations.

Travelling is usually an incorporated part of this role and you should therefore expect to spend some of your working time away from the office. This is of course limited during the Covid-19 situation, and we currently rely on digital media such as MS Teams and other similar communication platforms. We are flexible when it comes to the opportunity to work part-time from home, but also see a clear advantage in being together in the office for cooperative and knowledge sharing possibilities.

Your profile

Essential competencies:

- Extensive experience from working in the payment card industry and its eco system,
- Experience with working in a multi-national and multi-lingual environment as our organisation works within Nordic, European and Global organisations,
- Understand the technical impact of various standardisation initiatives on the business of payment cards,
- Excellent command of the English language together with one or more Scandinavian language,
- Excellent writing and presentation skills with the ability to facilitate member meetings.

Desired competencies:

- Knowledge of card scheme rules – like Mastercard and Visa,
- Work experience from one or more sectors of the card business, e.g. card scheme, processor, merchant, acquirer, or issuer,
- Knowledge of technical standards for cards, e.g. nexo, ECSG The Volume, EBA, ISO/CEN, PCI SSC, EMVCo, the Card Schemes and how these standards relate to each other in the cards eco system.

What do we offer?

Our offer includes a challenging job in an exciting time when the card payment landscape is undergoing rapid change. Through your work, you will participate in the international growth and further development of the Nordic payment card market. You have excellent opportunities to influence your daily work and we offer you a flexible job in an international atmosphere.

Contact

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our Managing Director Michael Hoffmann, via telephone +45 40 99 50 00 or via e-mail: mho@pan-nordic.org.

We look forward to receiving your application and CV as soon as possible.

For more information check out our web pages:

www.pan-nordic.org, www.cardpaymentsweden.se, www.cardpaymentdenmark.dk,

